



**Townsend Planning Commission Meeting Agenda
July 29, 2020 @ 7:00 pm
Via Conference Call**

**Per the Governor's request, all
scheduled meetings will be held via
electronic means. Residents will**

7:00 pm – PC Meeting

I. Call to Order – J. Reyes call to order at 7 PM.

II. Opening Ceremonies

a. Roll Call - T. Geiger absent. Present are J. Reyes, S. Rojas, T. McDonald, L. Krause

b. Pledge of Allegiance - dispensed due to the electronic meeting format

c. Visitor Acknowledgement - None available

d. Additions/Changes to the Agenda - none

e. Announcements – None

III. approval/rejection of previous minutes –

Motion to approve minutes for July 8, 2020 by S. Rojas, second by J. Reyes, Vote – unanimous to approve

IV. Review of Comprehensive Plan

a. Section 2-5 Transportation pg 42

a. Edited 4th ¶ Traffic count – try to get counts from Anthony

b. Walkability Communities and Green infrastructure, needs to be researched – Troy – Tom found some info on this

c. pedestrian network and environmental recommendations – edited several bullets and ¶'s

d. Opportunities for Physical Activity recommendations 102:08 pg 44

i. Edited several bullets/¶'s – dropped trailheads

ii. Need to find IPA's study – Tom

1. Investigate signs for walk

2. Bicycle path not feasible down wiggins mill road to Castle trail (13 miles)

e. Public Transportation – edited several ¶'s

f. Transportation Critical Issues and future needs

a. Traffic on west side of town edited ¶ 1:26:00 page 45

b. County Park Intersection – edited ¶ page 46

c. Rt 71 and Main St. intersection edited ¶ (where is this streets Committee?)

d. Road Highway Capacity ¶ deleted

e. Local Street Maintenance 1:35:00 PAGE 46

- f. Commuter Rail Service
- g. Walkable access to local services edited ¶ Sheryl checking census 1:38:00
- h. Local street design, Community Character - editing ¶ Sheryl to pull update from new ordinance. 1:42:00
- i. Non-driving population – Sheryl pull data from new census
- j. Reduction of truck traffic – discussion of applications and editing
- k. Transportation Goal – edited ¶ Sheryl pull data from new census
- l. Transportation Recommendations – Sheryl checking to see if same as earlier section. Edited several bullets and ¶
- g. Community Character and Design pg 48 – Stopping point at next meeting on 8/12/2020

VI. Adjourn: Motion to adjourn by S. Rojas, seconded by L. Krause, vote: unanimous to adjourn